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Special

Men's Panama Hats reg. \$8.50

For \$5.50

Men's Felt Hats, reg. \$3 & 3.50

For \$1.50

The Grocery Market is very firm in all lines, and we advise our customers to have their harvest supplies of Groceries on hand early.

Just unloaded a car of Royal Household Flour.

Give us call, we are sure to please you.

P. W. HART
E. C. STATA, Manager.

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Buy at Our Summer Sale

At this time of the year we have always made it our policy to hold a sale of any Summer Goods left over in stock. Come in and look them over.

15 p.c. Off Oil Stoves and Ovens

4 Burner New Perfection Oil stove, regular \$18.00 Now \$15.30 3 Burner New Perfection Oil Stove, reg. \$15.00 Now \$12.25 2 Burner Oven, reg. \$17.50 Now \$14.00

Screen Doors 20 p.c. Discount

Are You in Need of a Bed?

If so this is a Special For You

A No. 90 Coil Spring, this is not a cheap spring but one of the best on the market today. A No. 2 Health Mattress, both sides a real soft cotton filling with a thin centre of fibre. This is a real mattress and comfortable. A No. 302 Bed, a good strong iron bed, wire enamel. All these goods are made by the Alaska Bedding Co., and we will guarantee the quality. Complete Outfit at \$17.90. Come in and let us show you them.

Acheson Hardware
Opposite the Bank of Toronto

Oyen Hardware Company Ltd.

- Hot Weather Necessities -

Screen Doors at \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25, and \$2.50. All latest styles. Extension Window Screens for 50c. Screen door clasps for 15c. Screen wire cloth all widths in stock.

Parlor Blue Flame Oil Stove, 2 burner size \$12.50, 3 burner size \$15.00, 4 burner size \$17.50. Perfection Junior 1 burner Blue Flame \$8.50. Clark's Jewel Blue Flame Stoves, two burner size \$12.50, 3 burner size \$15.00. Perfection 2 burner Ovens \$4.50 each.

Family Safety Coal Oil 55c gallon. Gasoline 45c. Special prices in quantities. Machine Oil 60c. per gallon. Polaris 75c. per gallon. French Auto Oil 75c. per gallon.

Cleveland Bicycles \$45.00

Martin-Bellour Barn Paint. House and Floor Paint. Atabrine. Wall Paper. Furniture.

QUALITY SERVICE COURTESY

Oyen Hardware Co., Ltd.

John Patterson, Managing Director.

Local Items

Oyen Agricultural Fair will be held on Monday and Tuesday, August 13th and 14th. P. W. Hart returned last Saturday from St. Paul, Minn., where he has been spending the last month.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Kennedy of Medicine Hat are spending a few days in town.

Holland Canada Mortgage Co. Money to loan on improved farms at a rate of eight per cent. F. C. McClean, barrister, is agent for the Oyen district.

Miss Olive Young of Nanton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robt. Smith.

Mrs. J. R. Fox of Winnipeg was in town on business during the last week.

For careful and up-to-date dental work see Dr. Taylor, at Alaskan. Go any day.

Ladies of Sacred Heart church are preparing to serve refreshments Aug. 14, which is Fair-day. A percentage of receipts is to go to the Red Cross Society.

Mr. A. L. Monkman, who moved some three months ago to White, Alta., is visiting his former neighbors at Myleen. Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barker of Seal, on Tuesday, July 31st, a daughter.

Nurse Iveson of the General Hospital, Saskatoon is the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. B. Lawrence.

Rev. S. D. Webster left last Monday for Edmonton, P. E. I. We understand that while Mr. Webster is away that he will join the Benedictines.

The ladies of the Oyen Red Cross Society will have full charge of the refreshment and ice-cream booths on the grounds on Fair-day.

Local Man Wins The D. C. M.

The Distinguished Conduct Medal has been awarded to Sergt. Eric Fyfe of Benton, for conspicuous bravery in an attack.



When on the eve of an attack of the Canadian troops, the Germans let loose a large quantity of poisonous gas over the trenches. Sergt. Fyfe, with utter disregard for his own safety, in order to shoot orders to his men, took off his mask and led them through the cloud of gas to within a short distance of the enemy's lines, by which time he was overcome by the vapors. This action, no doubt, saved the situation, and his valor has been recognized by the award of the D. C. M.

For the purpose of helping the Y. M. C. A. in France, who are providing comforts for our boys in the trenches, a tag day will be held on the Friday here. It is hoped that the response to the tag will be generous for the money will go for a splendid cause.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dixon, who have been touring the north country in their Chevrolet car, returned last Sunday.

A citizens' meeting will be held in C. P. Johnson's store on Friday evening, Aug. 10, to discuss the advisability of holding a sports day. All interested are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hancock returned this morning from Gowan and other points east.

Miss E. Hosford of Edmonton is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. C. Watts.

Everybody is talking about the wrestling match on Fair night. Will you be there?

The regular sewing meeting of the Oyen Red Cross Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Robt. Smith.

Miss E. M. Church, who has been attending the Alberta College, Edmonton, returned last Sunday morning.

Harvest Groceries

Harvest is right here. You'll need lots of groceries to get the best work from your men. So when in town make it a point to get your season's requirements.

Tomatoes, per case, 1st grade	\$5.50
do do 2nd grade	4.90
Corn do 1st grade	4.50
Peas do "	3.90
Robin Hood Flour, today's price	7.00

Don't forget the Robin Hood special prize at the Fair.

S. A. Miller & Co.

While at the Fair Get Your Clothing For Boys and Men at Johnstons

We want every man, woman and boy to visit our Store during Fair Days. We want you to get acquainted with the line of goods we sell. Our \$80,000.00 Stock is new and full of good values. Our aim is place before you reliable goods at fair prices. Try us once and see.

Suits for Men and Boys at Low Prices

Read this list then come in and see the values for yourself. Not one old-style Suit in Stock.

Men's Navy Serge Suits, sizes 36 to 44, regular \$25.00 value for	\$19.95
Men's Brown Tweed Suits, sizes 36 to 44, regular \$15.00 value for	\$12.50
Others at \$17.50 to \$30.00	
Boys' Suits of Serge, Worsheds or Tweeds, sizes 25 to 33	\$6.50 to \$8.50
sizes 29 to 33	7.00 to 10.50

We Want Your Business---Our Prices Are Right

READ THIS LIST

Men's Union-made Overalls and Smocks, Fick, Leather Label or Western King brands, sizes 32 to 52 \$1.75 to \$2.00
Men's Union Made Work Shirts, sizes 14 to 18, full body and sleeves 1.25 to 2.50
Men's work Pants, sizes 30 to 44 3.00 to 6.00
Men's Felt Hats, regular \$3.50 for \$1.00
Work Braces, Socks, Handkerchiefs, Underwear, etc.

Last Chance to Buy Boots at \$4.65

And \$7.90

Values at \$6 and \$10

Men's Elk Elk Boots, tan only, top

straps, resoled soles, sewn and pegged,

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Men's Elk Boots, tan or black, regular

sellers at \$5.50 and \$6.00 your last chance

at \$4.65

Shirts, Collars and Furnishings

We show a nifty range of Men's and Boys Shirts, Collars, Belts, Ties, Braces, Caps, etc. Our stock is always new and up-to-date. Styles in all lines for young or old men and boys.

Guessing Contest

In one of our Show Windows we have placed a Scaled Jar of Beans! The person making first correct guess wins a Victor Victrola with 12 records value \$112.00, the second prize of a Suit of Clothes, value \$25.00 goes to the person making second correct or nearest guess. The third prize is a pair of Shoes value \$8.00. All tickets are numbered 1 to 3,000, and are issued in rotation. One guess with every purchase of \$2.00

C. P. JOHNSTON,

Clothier

Art Fry, Manager

How to Make Butter

Few people trouble themselves about the reason that creamy butter is to be prepared by churning, but by way of introduction to Bulletin No. 33 of the Dairy and Cold Storage Branch, Ottawa, Dairy Commissioner Riddick furnishes an explanation. Incidentally he also points out that a good deal of damage is done by the trade by inferior dairy butter. The bulletin, for which Mr. Geo. H. Barr, Chief of the Dairy Division, is responsible, in concise terms describes the whole process of butter making, tells the utensils that should be used and how they should be used, gives the results of experiments with the separator as regards temperature and variations in speed, deals with the care of cream in cooling and preparing for churning or marking and is pasteurizing gives expert counsel as to salting and working and points to the advisability of attractive packing in parchment paper. He also points out the requirements of the law in branding or marking and supplies practical hints on care of the utensils. Finally he tells in terse terms how to get the best results in farm dairy work. Both the bulletin and a "blueprint of the plan for a dairy that is given can be had free on application to the Dairy Commissioner or to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

The Australian government is giving each soldier who settles on the land, five hundred pounds. It's about time Canada got busy and settled some thing definite for the Canadian soldiers, and out out the party politics.

One of our local boys at the "home" was reading a letter from home. A friend, noticing his joyful expression, asked him if he had received bad news. "Yes," he said "the members of the Oyen Board of Trade are all dead."

Britain in twelve months will have to import five months' supplies, according to the statement by Kennedy Jones, director general of food economy. Great Britain. His calculation included the cereals at present on hand, the rate of submarine losses, the new tonnage to be available and the result of the campaign to eliminate food waste. Canada and the U.S. are looked to for the five months' supplies necessary to be imported.

Sports Day For Oyen

Why can't Oyen have a Sports Day this year? This question is frequently asked by a good many of our citizens. We believe that if a movement was set on foot to organize for this event it would meet with considerable success. Other towns along the line have had their annual day, and we see no reason why Oyen should not. A good many people think that during these times, we should not expend money in this way, but rather that we donate our surplus cash to the Patriotic or Red Cross Funds. It is only right that we should help along these causes and there is no reason why we cannot help these funds and still have sports. If it is made a Patriotic Day and let all the proceeds go for Red Cross or Patriotic purposes. In this way the people would have a day's enjoyment and at the same time be helping along a good cause.

It has been suggested that Labor Day would be a suitable day for the holding of sports, however that could be left for the committee to decide.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

FOR SALE

For Sale—A good, reliable, Short-horn bull. Can be seen on Oyen's place W.J. 35-23-4.

Wanted—Second hand gasoline engine 1 or 2 h.p.—Boyle's The Rep. Co.

FOR SALE. One good milk cow, six years old. Will be fresh Aug. 26th. Robt Macdon. See 33-27-3.

Tenders for Schoolhouse

Sealed Tenders will be received up to Tuesday noon, August 14th by the Board of Trustees for School District No. 3028 Alberta for the erection of a four roomed brick veneered School Building at Oyen.

Plans and Specifications may be obtained from the undersigned on payment of a deposit of Ten Dollars which will be returned on receipt of a bona fide tender.

The undersigned tender not necessary accepted.

HOLMAN & MITCHELL,
320, 8th Avenue W.,
Calgary.

Pioneers Celebrate Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Burkholder, Sr., who are of the Excel district, celebrated a thirty-second wedding anniversary on August 1st, at their home west of Oyen.

A salad dinner was served; fruit punch was the favorite beverage of the many guests, the number of whom follows: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bishop, Sr. and Mrs. Ely Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. John Edstrom, Mr. and Mrs. McMurray, Mr. and Mrs. Rummings, Mr. and Mrs. Selven Gullekson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gullekson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. Will Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Schrag, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Gogstadter, Mr. and Mrs. Gainer, Mr. and Mrs. John Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gullekson, Miss Jennie Edstrom, Mrs. Ralph Cragg, Mr. Everin Mode, Mr. Wilber Yanker, Miss Anna Mode, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Church.

Miss Jennie Edstrom, Excel, and Wilber Yanker, of Meadowland, Minn., were the musicians of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Burkholder were the happy recipients of many fine dishes, also aluminum ware.

The Wrestling Match, which is to be held in Oyen on the evening of the Fair-day, promises to be one of the "best ever". Lovers of sport cannot afford to miss this one.

At a meeting of the Oyen Board of Trade it was decided to hold meetings on the second and fourth Friday of each month. If Oyen is a progressive town, it is necessary that every citizen should take a deep interest in the Board of Trade and attend the meetings. In this way, matters pertaining to the welfare of Oyen can be discussed and frequently considered. The members of the Board will meet on Friday Aug. 24. Everybody turn out.

Position Wanted by married couple on a farm. Write—John Manoleson, 17-24-1, Spennymoor P. O., Alberta.

Contrary to a previous report, Major Connor will meet Ernest May of Young, Sask., on night of the Fair, Aug. 14. He has fully recovered from his operation and expects to be in good condition.

Place your order for trees, shrubbery and small fruits now. The past season has been ideal for the "ripening" of young poplars and tamaracs and the recent rains warrant a supply of moisture for future growth. Apply J.A. Russell, Agent for Prairie Nurseries, Oyen.

When at the Fair, take in the Big Wrestling Match.

The order of Knights of Pythias are organizing a new Lodge in Oyen. All former members are welcome to transfer their membership to the Oyen local. For further particulars, apply at Oyen News office.

Heintzman & Co.
Pianos

We can sell you a new piano from \$350 up. Player pianos from \$700. We also have a good second-hand Organ for sale. For terms and full particulars apply to—

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Take advantage while attending the Oyen Fair and buy your Alarm Clock for harvest. Also leave your watch to be cleaned etc. We have one of the best stocks of Watches, Jewelry and Community Silverware on the market. Call and inspect them.

A full line of Optical Goods always in stock.

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Improved and unimproved Farm lands for Sale at snap prices.

Prospective buyers will find it to their interest to look over our list before purchasing elsewhere no trouble to show you over our holdings.

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If you have a farm to sell list with us for quick sale.

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But the fact is that the Maxwell is built especially for your roads—no matter how bad they may be. Before even a single car is passed out by our shops it must stand tests that are many times more stringent than any difficulties you will encounter in your vicinity.

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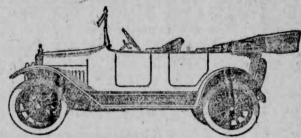
You may have hills. We know that the Maxwell will climb any hill you may have occasion to go over. You may have mud. The Maxwell is built to stand any possible strain it could be asked to stand in legitimate driving.

The Maxwell is built WITHOUT GUESSWORK—TO SUIT ALL ROADS—to suit your needs. In every part of the world it is giving perfect satisfaction.

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We carry at all times a large and well assorted stock of Tobaccos, Cigars, Cigarettes, Candles, etc., and serve all kinds of Soft drinks.

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If you need Lumber or anything in the building line, look us up. We have an excellent stock and most of it well seasoned.

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Oyen Branch

Manager.

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Our Harness ranges in price for complete sets from \$36.00 to \$57.50.

Special orders on Harness, Boots and Shoe repairs receive prompt and careful attention.

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Fresh Fish every Thursday and
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Meat Kept on Ice

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15th to 19th, of each month

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First Sunday in each month
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Rev. W. F. Bowlen.

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Next Sunday

Preaching Service 7.30 p.m.
Sunday School 2.30 p.m.
Wavy Plain 11 a.m.
Kirkwall 3.30 p.m.
Rev. S. D. Webster, Pastor

The Keeping of Poultry

A well-nigh perfect handbook on the keeping, breeding and raising of poultry, whether in a large way or a small way, has been issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. The title of the work is "Poultry-Keeping in Town and Country" and its official style is Bulletin No. 80 of the Division of Poultry, the Dominion Poultry Husbandman, Mr. F. C. Elford, being the author. In his introduction to the 48 pages of which the bulletin consists, Mr. Elford points out that poultry is suited to all conditions, takes a small outlay to start in, makes good returns, finds a regular market, is cheap to feed, can be made profitable as a side line, and then proceeds to describe the methods that should be followed and the requirements in backyard, farmyard or any other form of poultry-raising. With 70 appropriate illustrations, dealing with housing, feeding, choice of varieties, proper and profitable management, selection of birds for mating, hatching and rearing, marketing and in short, everything appertaining to poultry husbandry. As poultry-keeping is contributing not only to private gain in both pocket and health, but also to national industry, there should be an exceptionally wide demand for this bulletin, which can be had free by applying to the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Stop burning money! You can save 25 percent to 35 percent of your gasoline bill by using Magie Motor Gas. One quart costs \$2.50 which equals 40 gallons of gasoline. See P. D. Hess 31-27-1, for full particulars.

J. W. Crockett has had his premises enlarged considerably and the improvement has put him in a position where he can have a larger and better assortment of jewelry. When in town on Fair-day call and look over his new stock.

One of the main attractions at the Fair next Tuesday, is the Wedding Match between May of Young, Sask. and Connor of Oyen.

Forsale—A second hand binder in good repair, cheap—J. W. Robinson, John Deere Agent.

THE MARKET

Prices Paid at The Elevators
Wheat, No. 1 Northern... 2.19
No. 2 " " " " 2.16
No. 3 " " " " 2.11
Flax " " " " 2.80
Oats " " " " 1.60
Barley " " " " 1.04

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See Prize List for particulars or apply to Jas. Thomson, Secretary.

Don't forget that 50 per cent. points go for neatness and design in arranging exhibits.

The different varieties not necessarily grown on your own farm.

Get your Beaver Board or display board of what ever material you fancy and get busy.

In the meantime you will be busy interesting new settlers to locate here. If you have a friend who you would like to see locate here give us his name and address. We do the rest.

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Oyen Agricultural Fair

Monday and Tuesday, August 13th & 14th.

\$1,000 In Prizes

First Day Preparation Day.

Second Day Fair Day

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R. M. of Cereal, No. 242

Council of the R. M. of Cereal No. 242, met at Oyen on Aug. 6. Present: Reeve Cottrell, Dep. Reeve Ads, Counsellors Taylor, Brown and Horaback.

Taylor: That the minutes be passed as read.

Taylor: That we endorse the action of the Weed Inspectors in forcing the rate payers to dispose of weeds.

Horaback: That the Secy-Treas be instructed to notify the Deputy Minister of Municipalities of the failure of the village of Oyen to get rid of noxious weeds after being notified.

Ads: That the levy for Municipal purposes be placed at seven mills on the dollar on the assessment of the Municipality.

Horaback: That the following taxes be written off—EJ 4-27-4, prior to 1914; S. E. 5-27-5-4, prior to 1910.

Ads: That the following bills be passed and ordered paid—F. E. Olson, refund \$12.13 Roy Clemens, Stationery 8.85 F. E. Todd, rent 30.00 Carlson & Mortimer, drawing 3.00 Dan McQuarrie, smithing 3.25 A. H. Garrison, labor 183.40

Ads: That we adjourn to meet at Oyen, Monday Oct. 1

Oyen Boy Originates First Aviation Party

Chester E. Moffet, who was with Charles L. Dunford, when the Oyen News was founded in February 1914, has returned from Seattle, Wash., where he was a student in the French and journalism department of the University of Washington.

Mr. Moffet was a member and originator of the first aviation party. This party was held over Lake Washington on July 19th. During the stay in Seattle he took several other flights with an officer in the American Coast Naval Reserve. On being questioned, he replied, "It is very thrilling and is much easier than riding in a Ford limousine; it has an inexorable fascination."

The old reliable Virginia Minstrels will be in Oyen on Monday evening, Aug. 13. This is one of the greatest colored organizations on the road today. The performances will be given under a water-proof tent, where the audience will be entertained by about 40 artists. Don't fail to see this show as it is the first show of its kind over visiting this town. Remember the date Aug. 13th.

Grand Entertainment August 21st

The Oyen Branch of the Red Cross Society has been fortunate in securing the services of Mrs. Chas. A. Bradbrook for an evening's entertainment in the Methodist church on August 21st.

Mrs. Bradbrook will give a two hour entertainment during which time she will recite a scene from the "Old Curiosity Shop", "A Hero of Waterloo", a scene from "The Merchant of Venice" and several other stories and readings which combine to give the usual variety and interest.

No one will ever regret coming to the concert as Mrs. Bradbrook has certainly received high praise as a charming and clever entertainer. Those who attend will surely receive a treat.

The Curling Club

The curling season is fast approaching and before Oyen will be able to play this year, considerable work will have to be done in the way of building a rink. In other years the club has gone to considerable expense in the construction of a temporary rink which has cost a large sum, and at the end of the season there was nothing to show for it. This year the members should make an effort to purchase a rink outright and although the cost will be heavier, yet it will mean better curling and a financial saving eventually. Why not form a stock company and sell shares in this way the difficulty of raising the money would be overcome.

Social Gathering at Edendale School

A large number of people gathered at Edendale school-house Wednesday evening Aug. 3rd and amused themselves with races and other sports, afterward listening to a lengthy and interesting programme of songs etc. A generous supply of fruit and peanuts were distributed and each enjoyed himself to the full. The entertainment concluded with a dance, and, altogether, the affair was pronounced a success. A small admission fee was collected at the door and the proceeds went toward aiding the Red Cross work. The Prairie Bees were responsible for the delightful affair and deserve considerable praise for its success.

Grand Wrestling Match FAIR DAY Tuesday, 14 August

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